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## **AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

## **Listing of Claims:**

1. (Currently Amended) A structure for shielding an exposed part of core wire of a terminal block in a clothes dryer comprising:

a base forming a floor;

a front cabinet forming a front portion of the clothes dryer;

a side cabinet forming a side portion of the clothes dryer;

a back cover forming a back side of the clothes dryer;

a top cover provided on a top surface of the front cabinet, the side cabinet and the back cover;

a control panel provided on a rear portion of the top cover;

a terminal block provided on an inside of the control panel; and

a wall for shielding an exposed part of core wire [[in]] extending from an upper front portion and a lower front portion of the terminal block.

2. (Currently Amended) The structure for shielding an exposed part of core wire of a terminal block in a clothes dryer of claim 1, wherein the wall for shielding the exposed part of core wire covers a first connector connecting a lower part of the terminal block with a power cord wire [[9a]] and a second connector connecting an upper part of the terminal block with a

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power cord wire 9a not only from a front portion side view but also from a side view of the terminal block and a side portion of the terminal block.

3. (Original) The structure for shielding an exposed part of core wire of a terminal

block in a clothes dryer of claim 1, wherein the wall for shielding the exposed part of core wire

and the terminal block are formed as a single body when forming the terminal block.

4. (New) A laundry dryer control panel comprising:

a terminal block disposed within the laundry dryer control panel, the terminal block

having a lower part and an upper part;

a wall extending from the terminal block lower part and the terminal block upper part;

a first wire extending out of the terminal block lower part; and

a second wire extending out of the terminal block upper part wherein the wall extends

from the terminal block such that the wall shields an exposed portion of the first wire and the

second wire.

5. (New) A laundry dryer control panel of claim 4, wherein the wall covers a first

connector coupling the terminal block lower part with a first power wire and a second connector

coupling the terminal block upper part with a second power wire from a first side of the terminal

block and a second side of the terminal block.

6. (New) A laundry dryer control panel of claim 4, wherein the wall and the

terminal block are formed as a single body.

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